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TO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PARM, MNUC, TECH, AS, OVIP (NYE, JOSEPH S.)

SUBJECT: BILATERAL NON-PROLIFERATION DISCUSSION WITH  
AUSTRALIANS

REF: (A) CANBERRA 4176 (B) CANBERRA 4237

1. DR. JOSEPH NYE, DEPUTY TO THE UNDER SECRETARY FOR  
SECURITY ASSISTANCE, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, WILL VISIT  
AUSTRALIA (JUNE 21-25) FOR BILATERAL NON-PROLIFERATION  
TALKS. HE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY DR. LAWRENCE SCHEINMAN,  
SENIOR ADVISOR TO THE UNDER SECRETARY, LOUIS V. NOSENZO,  
DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY (OES/NET), RONALD J. BETTAUER,  
ASSISTANT LEGAL ADVISER FOR NUCLEAR AFFAIRS, AND NELSON  
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SIEVERING, DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY (DOE - INTERNATIONAL  
AFFAIRS).

2. TRAVEL PLANS FOR DELEGATION ARE AS FOLLOWS:

ARRIVE SYDNEY 6/21 PA 815 8:35 A.M.

DEPART SYDNEY 6/21 TRANS AUSTRALIAN 449

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ARRIVE CANBERRA 6/21 11:35 A.M.

DEPART CANBERRA 6/24 TRANS AUSTRALIAN 476

9:30 A.M.

ARRIVE SYDNEY 6/24 10:05 A.M.

DEPART SYDNEY 6/25 PA 816 3:00 P.M.

ITINERARY FOR CANBERRA AND SYDNEY PORTIONS OF VISIT  
SHOULD REFLECT WHATEVER APPOINTMENTS ARE ARRANGED AS  
NOTED BELOW AND, THEREFORE, EMBASSY SUGGESTIONS AND/OR  
CHANGES ARE WELCOME. (NOSENZO MAY DEPART SIDNEY 6/24;  
DETAILS LATER)

3. AGENDA FOR MEETINGS WILL INCLUDE:

- BILATERAL COOPERATION AND ONGOING NEGOTIATIONS;
- SUPPLIER-RELATED ISSUES - INCLUDING APPROACH  
TO FUTURE ENRICHMENT VENTURES;
- INFCE MATTERS - INCLUDING NUCLEAR FUEL BANK AND  
ALSO OVERVIEW OF URANIUM MARKET DEVELOPMENT AS  
AUSTRALIANS SEE IT IN NEXT DECADE; AND,
- SPENT FUEL PROBLEM - GENERAL OVERVIEW OF LINKAGE  
OF FRONT AND BACK-END ISSUES AND EXPLORATION FOR  
ALTERNATIVE STORAGE POSSIBILITIES INCLUDING PACIFIC  
BASIN SITES.

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4. DELEGATION WOULD ANTICIPATE MEETING WITH APPROPRIATE  
GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IN AUSTRALIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY AND  
ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION.

SUGGESTED MEETING (REF A) OF NYE (AND OTHER TEAM MEMBERS  
AS EMBASSY DEEMS APPROPRIATE) WITH PM FRASER WOULD BE  
DESIRABLE. FYI. GOA APPARENTLY EXPECTS NYE VISIT TO  
BEGIN ON 19TH. DEPARTURE FROM U.S. IS ON 19TH BUT  
ARRIVAL IN AUSTRALIA IS ON 21ST. ACCORDINGLY, TIMING  
OF POSSIBLE MEETING WITH PM (REF B) MAY BE FACILITATED.  
END FYI. SUGGESTED MEETINGS WITH OPPOSITION LEADER OR  
SHADOW MINISTER FOR ENERGY ALSO FINE. NYE IS ALSO  
WILLING TO ADDRESS NATIONAL PRESS CLUB IN CANBERRA.

5. EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN ARRANGING THESE APPOINTMENTS,  
SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS, ITINERARY, HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS  
AND TRANSPORTATION -- (WED-FRI CANBERRA; SATURDAY IN  
SYDNEY) IS REQUESTED. TRAVEL BETWEEN SYDNEY AND  
CANBERRA CAN BE ALTERED AS EMBASSY SEES FIT, AS IT WILL  
DEPEND ON APPOINTMENTS, ETC. IN CONFIRMING SINGLE  
HOTEL ROOMS WITH BATH, PLEASE INCLUDE HOTEL PHONE

NUMBERS IF POSSIBLE.

6. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS EMBASSY  
MIGHT HAVE REGARDING VISIT OR AGENDA. CHRISTOPHER

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